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- 1. EMBASSY RECEIVED 16 JULY LETTER DATED 24 JUNE FROM PROFESSOR VLADIMIR LEVITOV FOR DR. BRIAN BELANGER REGARDING SOVIET TRIPS TO U.S. IN SUBJECT AREA. TEXT FOLLOWS:
- 2. BEGIN QUOTE: THANK YOU FOR YOUR LETTER OF JUNE 4, 1975.
- 3. SINCE YOU VOICED YOUR KIND READINESS TO RECEIVE THE SOVIET SPECIALISTS AND YOUR AGREEMENT TO THE BEGINNING OF THE VISIT WE PROPOSED, I WISH TO INFORM YOU THAT THE GROUP OF SPECIALISTS PLANS TO FLY OUT OF MOSCOW AUGUST 10 OF THIS YEAR. I HOPE THAT YOU HAVE ALREADY RECEIVED THE INFORMATION YOU REQUESTED ABOUT OUR SPECIALISTS, WHICH I SENT YOU. I AM SENDING THIS INFORMATION TO YOU AGAIN.
- 4. THE INFORMATION YOU GAVE REGARDING NEW INSTALLATIONS BROUGHT INTO USE IN A SERIES OF LABORATORIES IS OF GREAT INTEREST TO US, AND WE WOULD BE GRATEFUL IF YOU COULD ARRANGE FOR OUR SPECIALISTS TO LEARN ABOUT THESE INSTALLATIONS AND FOR JOINT EXPERIMENTAL INVESTIGATIONS TO BE CARRIED OUT ON THEM.
- 5. AT THE MEETINGS AT THE G. M. KRZHIZHANOVSKIY ENERGY INSTITUTE, WE ARE COUNTING ON HEARING THE REPORTS YOU UNCLASSIFIED

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OFFERED BY MEMBERS OF YOUR COMMITTEE, AND PLAN TO PUBLISH

A JOINT COLLECTION INCLUDING REPORTS BY MEMBERS OF THE SOVIET AND AMERICAN COMMITTEES, AS WAS DONE DURING THE FIRST JOINT SOVIET-AMERICAN SYMPOSIUM IN 1973.

- 6. WHILE AT OUR INSTITUTE, THE MEMBERS OF YOUR COMMITTEE WILL BE ABLE TO VISIT LABORATORIES ENGAGED IN RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT OF SUPER-CONDUCTIVE ELECTRIC-TRANSMISSION LINES.
- 7. WE ARE PRESENTLY COMPLETING COMPILATION OF THE PRO-GRAM FOR THE VISIT OF MEMBERS OF YOUR COMMITTEE TO THE USSR IN SEPTEMBER OF THIS YEAR; THE PROGRAM WILL BE SENT TO YOU VERY SOON. FOR TICKET PURCHASING AND RE-SERVATIONS YOU CAN COUNT ON THE VISIT'S BEGINNING (ARRIVAL IN MOSCOW), SEPTEMBER 7 AND ENDING (FLIGHT FROM MOSCOW) SEPTEMBER 21 OF THIS YEAR. WE MUST HAVE THE INFORMATION ON THE NUMBER AND LAST NAMES OF MEMBERS OF YOUR COMMITTEE WHO WISH TO PROLONG THEIR STAY IN THE USSR IN ORDER TO PARTICIPATE IN THE MEETINGS OF THE CONGRESS OF THE INTERNATIONAL COLD INSTITUTE VERY SOON. HC8. I SHARE YOUR OPINION THAT DURING YOUR STAY IN MOSCOW WE WILL BE ABLE TO CONSIDER OUESTIONS CONCERNING TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS AND INSTALLATIONS OF THE AMERICAN REFRIGERATOR IN THE USSR AND OF THE SOVIET SUPERCONDUCTIVE CABLE IN THE USA, AND DISCUSS ALL POINTS OF THE PROTOCOL OF THE SOVIET-AMERICAN ORGANIZING COMMITTEE. I WILL BE GRATEFUL IF YOU SEND ME THE LATEST TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR THE REFRIGERATOR SOON, SINCE THIS WILL FACILITATE PREPARATION FOR DISCUSSION OF ALL QUESTIONS CONNECTED WITH IT.
- 9. CONSIDERING YOUR DESIRES, WE TAKE IT UPON OURSELVES TO ARRANGE FOR YOUR WIVES' STAY IN MOSCOW AND ALUSHT, AS ALREADY TOOK PLACE IN OCTOBER, 1973 DURING YOUR VISIT TO THE USSR. HOWEVER, YOU WILL HAVE TO PAY ALL EXPENSES CONNECTED WITH YOUR WIVES' STAY IN THE USSR (BOARD, TRANSPORTATION, EXCURSIONS, HOTELS, INCLUDING COST OF ADVANCE RESERVATIONS. ETC.).
- $10.\,$ WE AWAIT WITH GREAT INTEREST THE MEETING WITH THE MEMBERS OF YOUR COMMITTEE, AND EXPRESS THE HOPE UNCLASSIFIED

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THAT THE ORGANIZING COMMITEE'S MEETINGS WILL BE FRUITFUL AND BENEFICIAL FOR BOTH SIDES, WHICH WILL CONTRIBUTE TO THE FURTHER STRENGTHENING OF OUR COOPERATION AND MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING. END TEXT LETTER.

11. BEGIN TEXT ATTACHMENT. SOVIET SPECIALISTS LEAVING FOR THE USA IN AUGUST OF THIS YEAR.

12. BROOKHAVEN NATIONAL LABORATORY, "UNION CARBIDE" FIRM - BLINKOV, EVGENIY LEONIDOVICH, 28 OCTOBER 1931, MOSCOW, ENGINEER-ELECTROMECHANIC, CAND. TECH. SCI., CHIEF OF SECTION OF CRYOGENIC ELECTROENERGETICS. DEVELOPMENT OF TEHORETICAL BASES FOR SUPERCONDUCTIVE ELECTRICAL TRANSMISSION LINES; RYBIN, IGOR' VASIL'YEVICH, 2 AUGUST 1939, MOSCOW, ENGINEER-MECHANIC, DEPUTY CHIEF, CONSTRUCTION BUREAU. DEVELOPMENT OF SUPERCONDUCTIVE CABLE-NODE CONSTRUCTION; BENDIK, NIKOLAY TIMOFEYEVICH, -26 APRIL 1939, YEVGEN'YEVKA VILLAGE, DZHUVALINSKIY REGION, SOUTH-KAZAKHSTAN REGION, PHYSICIST, CAND. PHYSICO-MATHEMATICAL SCI., SENIOR SCIENTIFIC WORKER, LABORATORY OF CRYOGENIC ENERGETICS. PLACING OF EXPERIMENTAL WORK ON SUPERCONDUCTIVE CABLE MODELS.

13. NATIONAL BUREAU OF STANDARDS, BOULDER, COLORADO - YEROSHENKO, VLADIMIR MIKHAYLOVICH, 8 FEBRUARY 1926, MOSCOW, ENGINEER-MECHANIC, CAND. TECH. SCI., CHIEF, LABORATORY OF HDEWALWMUCGCEMG; YASKIN, LEONID ALXNSANDROVICH, 8 SEPTEMBER 1945, MOSCOWN ENGKM LMECHANSVKNBSPFRD. TECH. SCI., JUNIOR SCIENTIFIC WORKER, LABORATORY OF HYDRODYNAMICS AND HEAT EXCHANGE OF CRYOGENIC SYSTEMS. INVESTIGATION OF QUESTIONS OF HYDRODYNAMICS AND HEAT EXCHANGE OF SUPERCONDUCTIVE CABLES.

14. LOS ALAMOS SCIENTIFIC LABORATORY - LUTIDZE, SHOTA IVAOVICH, 24 MAY 1927, AKHISUBANI VILLAGE TERTOL'SKIY REGION, GEORGIAN SSR, ENGINEER-ELECTROMECHANIC, DR. TECH. SCC GMXSCTNCZESSION, CHIEF, LABORATORY ON INSTALLATIONS FOR ENERGY ENTRY INTO SUPERCONDUCTIVE ELECTRICAL TRANSMISSION LINES. DEVELOPMENT AND RESEARCH ON ENERGY UNCLASSIFIED

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ENTRY INTO SUPERCONDUCTIVE ELECTRICAL TRANSMISSION LINES; MISYULIN, ALEKSANDR VASIL'YEVICH, 17 DECEMBER 1936, MOSCOW, ENGINEER-ELECTRICIAN, CAND. TECH. SCI., JUNIOR SCIENTIFIC WORKER, LABORATORY ON SUPERCONDUCTIVE DUJECT1? CURRENT TRANSMISSIONSM IVESTIGATION OF SUPERCONDUCTIVE DIRECT-CURRENT CABLE PROCESSES. END QUOTE.

- 15. LEVITOV LETTER (STATE 159452) APPARENTLY NEVER RECEIVED BY EMBASSY.
- 16. ABOVE LETTER BEING POUCHED REGISTRY NO. 1907253.
- 17. ON 16 JULY EMBASSY RECEIVED BELANGER LETTER OF 8 JULY TO LEVITOV (RE: LEVITOV REQUEST, PARA 8).

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